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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

22 MAY 1959

MEMORANDUM FOR: The Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

ATTENTION : Mr. Sam J. Papich

SUBJECT : ISRAEL PAUL JARRICO, was.
PAUL JARRICO
ISRAEL PAUL SHAPIRO,
ISRAEL PAVSSAH SHAPIRO

Reference is made to your Bureau report of 31 March 1959, New York, on captioned Subject.

Israel Paul Jarrico was an applicant for OSS employment in 1944, and a copy of a Personal History Statement dated 23 March 1944 which was completed by Jarrico in connection with his application for OSS employment is attached for your information.

Certain field investigation was conducted in 1944 in regard to Jarrico which may be of interest to your Bureau and will be made available for review by a representative of your Bureau at your convenience.

Of particular interest among the individuals listed by Jarrico on his Personal History Statement as references or neighbors are the following: Garson Kanin, Ian McLellan Hunter, Harold Bushman, Bernard B. Kadron and Richard Collins. Also of particular interest is the fact that the Personal History Statement was witnessed by Mrs. Victoria Schulberg.

The 13 January 1958 memorandum referred to above also contains information on Israel Paul Jarrico.

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FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE:

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Sheffield Edwards
Director of Security

Att.
Copy of PHS

[redacted] office of Security, CIA
advised that CIA has no objection
to inclusion of this info in Bureau
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PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

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INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer all questions completely. If question does not apply write "not applicable." Write "unknown" only if you do not know the answer and cannot obtain the answer from personal records. Use a separate sheet for extra details on any question or questions for which you do not have sufficient room.

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Attach 2 recent passport size pictures to this form, date taken written on the back of each.

Type, print or write carefully; illegible or incomplete forms will not receive consideration.

HAVE YOU READ AND UNDERSTOOD THE INSTRUCTIONS?

Yes
Yes or No

PERSONAL BACKGROUND

Miss

Full name Mr. Israel Paul Jarrico Telephone ARIZONA 95167
Mrs.

Present address 727 Linda Flora Dr., Los Angeles, 24, Calif., U.S.A.
St. & No. City State Country

Legal residence Same as above
St. & No. City State Country

B. Nickname Paul Jarrico Any other name that you have used

Israel Paul Shapiro Under what circumstances have you ever used these names? (Known personally and professionally as Paul Jarrico since 1937. Birth registered as Israel Payssah Shapiro but all other records prior to 1937 under Israel Paul Shapiro, How long? See above. If a legal change, give particulars On Jan 23, 1940

in Los Angeles, Calif., by judgment (No. 447539) of Superior Court.
Where By what authority?

C. Date of birth 1/12/15* Place of birth Los Angeles, Calif., U.S.A.
*(birth certif. says 1/8/15 - an error) City State Country
Racial origin through Mother white Through Father white

D. Present citizenship U.S.A. By Birth? Yes By Marriage? No
By naturalization certificate Not applicable. By Not applicable.
Date Court
At Not applicable.
City State Country

Have you had a previous nationality? No What? Not applicable

Held between what dates? Not applicable Any other nationality? No

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Give particulars: Not applicable

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Have you taken steps to change present citizenship? No Give particulars

Not applicable

E. Last U.S. Passport: Number, date and place of issue Seaman's passport

No. 146317, applied for Aug. 7, 1943 at New York City, N.Y.

How many other U.S. Passports have you had? None Give approximate dates

Not applicable

Passports of other nations? None

F. If born outside U.S. When did you first arrive in this country? Not applicable

Port of entry? Not applicable On passport of what country? Not applicable

Last U.S. visa Not applicable

Number Type Place of issue Date of issue

SEC. 2 PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

Age 29 Sex male Race white Height 5'8 1/2" Weight 155

Eyes brown Hair black Complexion Medium Scars none

Build medium Other distinguishing features none

SEC. 3. FATHER (give the same information for step-father and/or guardian on a separate sheet)

Full name Aaron Shapiro
First Middle Last

Living or deceased deceased Date of decease 12/31/33 Cause Uremia

~~Present~~, or last, address 618 N. Cummings St., Los Angeles, Calif., U.S.
St. & No. City State Country

Date of birth 8/18/83 Place of birth Kremenchug, Poltava, Russia
City State Country

Citizenship U.S.A. When acquired 7/20/13 Where Los Angeles, Calif., U.S.
City State Country

Occupation Attorney Last employer Self (Firm of Shapiro & Shapiro)

Employer's or own business address California Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal. U.
St. & No. City State Country

Military service from Not Applicable Branch of service Not applicable
Date Date

Country Not applicable Details of other gov't service U.S. or foreign

Not applicable

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Give particulars: Not applicable

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Not applicable

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Citizenship U.S.A. When acquired 7/20/13 Where? Los Angeles, Calif., U.S.
City State Country

Occupation Attorney Last employer Self (Firm of Shapiro & Shapiro)

Employer's or own business address California Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal. U.S.
St. & No. City State Country

Military service from Not Applicable Branch of service Not applicable
Date Date

Country Not applicable Details of other Gov't service U.S. or foreign

Not applicable

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30. 4. FATHER (Give the information for step-her or separate sheet)

Full name Jennie Bernstein
First Maiden

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MRS ABRAHAM SHAPIRO

Living or deceased living Date of Decease Not applicable

Present, or last, address 366 N. Curson, Los Angeles, Calif., U.S.A.
St. & No. City State Country

Date of birth 4/15/75 Place of birth Udkeh, Minsk, Russia
City State Country

Citizenship U.S.A. When acquired 7/20/18 Where Los Angeles, Calif., U.S.A.
(by marriage) City State Country

Occupation Housewife Last employer Not applicable

Employer's or own business address Not applicable
St. & No. City State Country

Details of gov't service, U.S. or foreign Not applicable

SEC. 5. BROTHERS AND SISTERS (Including half-, step-, & adopted brothers and sisters)

Full name Edward Kraus (half brother)
First Middle Last

Present address 929 La Vuelta, Santa Paula, Calif., U.S.A.
St. & No. City State Country

Full name
First Middle Last

Present address
St. & No. City State Country

Full name
First Middle Last

Present address
St. & No. City State Country

SEC. 6. MARITAL STATUS

A. Single No Married Yes Divorced No Widowed No

State date, place and reason for separation or divorce

Not applicable

B. Wife or husband (if you have been married more than once use a separate sheet for former wife or husband and give required data for all previous marriages)

MRS ISRAEL Paul Jarrico

Name Sylvia Gussain Jarrico Place & Los Angeles, Calif
First Middle (for wife, maiden) Last Date of marriage 1/18/36

(Her or his) address before marriage 929 La Vuelta, Santa Paula, Calif. USA
St. & No. City State Country

Living or deceased living Date of decease Not applicable

Present, or last address 727 Linda Flora Dr., Los Angeles 24, Cal. USA
St. & No. City State Country

Sec. 6. Marital status (cont'd)

Date of birth 10/2/15 Place of birth New York City, New York, U.S.A.
City State Country

Racial origin through father white Through mother white

Citizenship U.S.A. When acquired At birth Where? U.S.A.

City State Country

Occupation Social Psychologist Last employer Committee for Children in Wartime
(Volunteer)

Employer's or own business address 314 S. Muirfield, Los Angeles, Calif. USA
St. & No. City State Country

Military service from Not applicable Branch of service Not applicable
Date Date

Country Not applicable Details of other gov't. service, U.S. or foreign

Not applicable.

SEC. 7. FATHER-IN-LAW

Full name William Israel Gussin
First Middle Last

Living or deceased Deceased Date of decease 1/23/31

Present, or last, address 315 N. Harper, Los Angeles, Calif. USA
St. & No. City State Country

Racial origin white Birth 6/15/87 Shklov, Mogolev, Russia
Date City State Country

Citizenship U.S.A. When acquired? 1922 Where? Los Angeles, Calif. USA
City State Country

SEC. 8. MOTHER-IN-LAW

Full name Rose Miller (Gussin) Kraus (remarried)
First Middle Last

Living or deceased living Date of decease Not applicable

Present, or last, address 929 La Vuelta, Santa Paula, Calif. U.S.A.
St. & No. City State Country

Racial origin white Birth 12/12/92 Simna, Lithuania, Russia
Date City State Country

Citizenship U.S.A. When acquired? 1922 Where? Los Angeles, Calif. USA
(by marriage) City State Country

SEC. 9. CHILDREN OR DEPENDENTS (including partial dependents)

Name William Aaron Jarrico Relationship Son B. APPROX 1955 Age 4

Nationality U.S.A. Address 727 Linda Flora Dr. Los Angeles, Calif. USA
St. & No. City State Country

Name Jennie Shapiro Relationship Mother Age 68

Nationality U.S.A. Address 366 N. Curson, Los Angeles, Calif. USA
St. & No. City State Country

Name Relationship Age

Nationality Address
St. & No. City State Country

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SEC. 10. RELATIVES BY BLOOD, MARRIAGE OR ADOPTION, WHO LIVE A-ROAD, ARE UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF A FOREIGN POWER ARE NOT CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES, OR ARE MARRIED TO NON-CITIZENS. I may have some instant relatives in England and Russia, but their names, addresses, etc. are unknown to me.

Nationality _____ Address _____
St. & No. City State Country

Reason for listing under this question _____

Name _____ Relationship _____ Age _____

Nationality _____ Address _____
St. & No. City State Country

Reason for listing under this question _____

Name _____ Relationship _____ Age _____

Nationality _____ Address _____
St. & No. City State Country

Reason for listing under this question _____

SEC. 11. RELATIVES BY BLOOD OR MARRIAGE, IN MILITARY, NAVAL OR OTHER GOV'T SERVICE U.S. OR FOREIGN

Name F.M. Wilson, 1st Lt. U.S.A. Relationship Wife's brother in law Age 29

Nationality U.S.A. Address Hq. Co. 5th Amphibious Corps
St. & No. City State Country

Type and location of service (if known) c/o Fleet P.O., San Francisco

Name Corp. Daniel Shapiro Relationship First cousin Age 20

Nationality U.S.A. Address 459th Air Base Squadron
St. & No. City State Country

Type and location of service (if known) Army Air Field, Palm Springs, Calif.

Name _____ Relationship _____ Age _____

Nationality _____ Address _____
St. & No. City State Country

Type and location of service (if known) _____

SEC. 12. GIVE FIVE CHARACTER REFERENCES - IN THE U.S. (give business addresses where possible)

Name: Dore Schary Address Vanguard Films, Culver City, Cal.
St. & No. City State

Name: Charles Page Address State Dept., Washington, D.C.
St. & No. City State

Name: Dr. Franklin Fearing Address U.C.L.A., Los Angeles, Calif.
St. & No. City State

Name: Lt. Garson Kanin Address O.S.S., Washington, D.C.
St. & No. City State

Name: Franklin M. Wilson Address F.M. Wilson Co., Stockton, Calif.
St. & No. City State

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SEC. 13. NAMES OF 5 PERSONS WHO KNOW YOU SOCIALLY IN THE UNITED STATES. NOT REFERENCES OR EMPLOYERS--(give business addresses where possible)

1. Name Richard Collins Address M.G.M., Culver City, Calif.
St. & No. City State
2. Name Ian McLeilan Huntah Address O.S.S., Washington, D.C.
St. & No. City State Los Angeles
3. Name Alan Miller Address Zeppo Marx Inc. 8732 Sunset L.A. Cal.
St. & No. City State
4. Name Lt. Comm. Leon Rosove Address Naval Hospital, Long Beach, Cal.
St. & No. City State Photographic Science Laboratory
5. Name Lt. Collier Young Address Naval Air Station, Anacostia, D.C.
St. & No. City State

SEC. 14. GIVE THREE NEIGHBORS AT YOUR LAST NORMAL RESIDENCE IN THE U.S.

- Name: Mrs. Alphonzo Bell Address 850 Linda Flora Dr. L.A., Cal.
St. & No. City State Los Angeles
- Name: Adolph Deutsch Address 1010 Moraga Dr. L.A. Cal.
St. & No. City State Los Angeles
- Name: Harold Buchman Address 11232 Homedale St. L.A. Cal.
St. & No. City State Los Angeles

Sec. 15. EDUCATION

- School: Roosevelt High School Address Los Angeles, Calif. U.S.A.
City State Country
- Dates attended: 1929 - 1932 Degree High School Diploma
- College: University of Calif. Address Los Angeles, Calif. U.S.A.
City State Country
- Dates attended: Sept. 1933 - June 1934 Degree None
- College: University of Calif. Address Berkeley, Calif. U.S.A.
City State Country
- Dates attended: Aug 1934 - May 1935 Degree None
- College: Univ. of So. Calif. Address Los Angeles, Calif. U.S.A.
City State Country
- Dates attended: Sept. 1932 - June 1933
Sept. 1935 - June 1936 Degree A.B.

SEC. 16. MILITARY, NAVAL OR OTHER GOV'T SERVICE - U.S. OR FOREIGN

U.S.A. Merchant Marine Ordinary Seaman 8/19/43-12/8/43
Country Service Rank Dates

S.S. Thomas W. Bickett (see below) (see below) Andrew Anderson Master
Last station Serial No. Type of discharge Com. Officer

Remarks: In order to broaden my experience as a writer and participate more directly in the war effort, I took a leave of absence from M.G.M. Studio, obtained seaman's papers (U.S. Dept. of Commerce Certificate of Identification No. 2415312) and shipped out of New York on the S.S. Thomas W. Bickett. The voyage, which lasted some three and a half months, took us to North Africa and Naples, Italy, and involved action in the Mediterranean. I was U.S. Coast Guard Certificate of Discharge, Serial No. 6207. 27.

SEC. 17. SELECTIVE SERVICE STATUS

Classification 1A Order # 1949 Approx: induction date 4/22/44

Board # 179 Address 10209 Riverside Dr., North Hollywood, Calif.

If deferred, give reason Expecting brief deferment to finish M.G.M. assignment, but have taken pre-induction physical assigned to Navy.

SEC. 18. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FROM ANY POSITION OR LEFT UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES WHICH WERE NOT ENTIRELY FAVORABLE? PLEASE GIVE DETAILS: No.

SEC. 19. MISCELLANEOUS

Did you ever have or do you now have membership in, or support, any political party or organization which advocates the overthrow of our constitutional form of government in the United States? No.

If "yes," Explain: Not applicable.

Do you use, or have you used intoxicants? Occasionally, socially, never heavily.

Have you ever been arrested, indicted or convicted for any violation of law other than a minor traffic violation? If so, state name of court, city, state, country, nature of offense and disposition of case In the Spring of 1935, while attending the University of California at Berkeley, I was arrested with 31 others for violating an anti-handbill ordinance. The charge was dropped, the ordinance in question changed, and I was subsequently informed that the case had been expunged from the records.

SEC. 20. FINANCIAL BACKGROUND

Are you entirely dependent on your salary? No. If not, state sources of other income Savings set aside out of previous salaries.

Names and addresses of banks with which you have accounts

Bank of America -- Westwood Village Branch

Have you ever been in bankruptcy? No. Give particulars

Not applicable.

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Sec. 20. Financial background (cont'd)

Give three credit references. - in the U.S.

Name: Zappa Marx, Inc. Address: 8732 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles
St. & No. City State Calif.
Name: Bernard B. Skadron Address: 133 Gordon Hollywood, Calif.
St. & No. City State
Name: Robert B. Azins Address: 1680 Vine Hollywood, Calif.
St. & No. City State

SEC. 21. CRONOLOGICAL HISTORY OF EMPLOYMENT FOR PAST TEN YEARS. INCLUDE CASUAL EMPLOYMENT. INCLUDE ALSO PERIODS OF UNEMPLOYMENT. GIVE ADDRESS AND STATE WHAT YOU DID DURING PERIODS OF UNEMPLOYMENT. INCLUDE LAST 5 POSITIONS AND COVER AT LEAST TEN YEARS.

Employer: M.G.M. Pictures Title of job: Screenwriter
Address: Culver City, Calif., U.S.A.
St. & No. City State Country
Your duties and specialty: writing original story and screenplay
Kind of business: motion pictures Name of supervisor: Everett Riskin
From: 12/24/43 To: the present Salary: \$1250.00 Per: week
Reasons for leaving: Still on assignment

Employer: Stevenson and Co. Title of job: Ordinary Seaman
Address: 80 Broad St., New York City, N.Y., U.S.A.
St. & No. City State Country
Your duties and specialty: deck hand on Liberty Ship T.W. Bickett
Kind of business: Merchant Marine Name of supervisor: Andrew Anderson
From: 8/19/43 To: 12/8/43 Salary: \$ 82.50 Per: month
(plus sea bonus, plus Mediter-
Reasons for leaving: SEE SEC. 16 (anean bonus, plus bonus for being bombed)

Employer: M.G.M. Pictures Title of job: Screenwriter
Address: Culver City, Calif., U.S.A.
St. & No. City State Country
(Reading possible
Your duties and specialty: (assignments) Name of supervisor: None
From: 7/6/43 To: 7/28/43 Salary: \$1250.00 Per: week
Reasons for leaving: Asked for and received leave of absence.

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Sec. 21. Chronological hist / (cont'd)

Employer M.G. Pictures Title of job screenwriter
 Address Culver City, Calif., U.S.A.
 St. & No. City State Country
 Your duties and specialty (collaborating on original story and screen-
 play THOUSANDS CHEER; collaborating on treat-
 ment and screenplay SONG OF RUSSIA; and others.
 Kind of business: motion pictures Name of supervisor Joseph Pasternak
 From: 4/13/42 To: 6/14/43 Salary \$ 750.00 Per week
 Reasons for leaving completed assignment, needed vacation.

Employer Universal Pictures Title of job Screenwriter
 Address Universal City, Calif., U.S.A.
 St. & No. City State Country
 Your duties and specialty collaborating on original story.
 Kind of business motion pictures Name of supervisor Bruce Manning
 From: 3/9/42 To: 4/4/42 Salary \$ 750.00 Per week
 Reasons for leaving completed assignment.

SEC. 21 CONTINUED ON ATTACHED SHEET.

SEC. 22 RESIDENCES FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS

727 Linda Flora Dr. Los Angeles, Cal. U.S.A. From: Feb '43 To: Present
 St & No. City State Country
2736 Outpost Dr. Los Angeles, Cal. U.S.A. From: Aug '41 To: Feb. '43
 St & No. City State Country
3389 Floyd Terr. Los Angeles, Cal. U.S.A. From: Feb '40 To: Aug '41
 St & No. City State Country
6832 1/2 Camrose Ave. Los Angeles, Cal. USA From: Jul '39 To: Feb '40
 St & No. City State Country
11097 Strathmore Dr. Los Angeles, Cal. USA From: Sep '37 To: Jul '39
 St & No. City State Country
8505 W. 3rd St., Los Angeles, Cal. U.S.A. From: Sep '36 To: Sep '37
 St & No. City State Country
2358 Sunset Plaza Dr. Los Angeles, Cal. USA From: Jul '36 To: Sep '36
 St. & No. City State Country

SEC. 22 CONTINUED ON ATTACHED SHEET.

SEC. 23. RESIDENCE OR TRAVEL OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES

Mexico City, Mexico. Vacation Dates 6/43 To (two weeks)
 City or section Country Purpose Month & year Month & Year
North Africa and Italy (see Sec. 16) Dates 9/43 To 11/43
 City or section Country Purpose Month & year Month & Year
 City or section Country Purpose Dates To
 Month & Year Month and year

Sec. 23. Residence travel (cont'd)

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City or section	Country	Purpose	Dates Month & Year	To Month & Year
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Sec. 24. CLUBS, SOCIETIES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

List names and addresses of all clubs, societies, labor unions, professional societies, employee groups, organizations of any kind (include membership in or support of any organization having headquarters or branch in a foreign country) to which you have belonged:

Screen-Writers Guild 1655 N. Cherokee Hollywood, Calif. USA
 Name St. & No. City State Country

Hollywood Writers Mobilization same address as above
 Name St. & No. City State Country

League of American Writers 1717 Vine Hollywood, Calif. USA
 Name St. & No. City State Country

Motion Picture Democratic Committee (Now defunct)
 Name St. & No. City State Country

Westwood Young Democrats (Now defunct)
 Name St. & No. City State Country

Motion Picture Buyers Guild (Now defunct)
 Name St. & No. City State Country

Hollywood League for Democratic Action (Now defunct)
 Name St. & No. City State Country

SEC. 24 CONTINUED ON ATTACHED SHEET

SEC. 25. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION

Church of attendance None

Address Not applicable Name of minister or priest Not applicable

SEC. 26. GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS

A. Foreign languages (state degree of proficiency as "slight" "Fair" or "Fluent")

Language French Speak slight Read fair Write slight

Language German Speak fair Read fair Write fair

Language Yiddish Speak fair Read fair Write fair

Language _____ Speak _____ Read _____ Write _____

Language _____ Speak _____ Read _____ Write _____

Language _____ Speak _____ Read _____ Write _____

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SEC. 21. CHRONOLOGICAL HISTORY (CONT'D)

Employer: Samuel Goldwyn Inc. Title of job: Screenwriter.

Address: 1041 N. Formosa, Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: collaborating on treatment; added scenes for PRIDE OF THE YANKEES.

Kind of business: Motion pictures. Name of supervisor: Samuel Goldwyn

From: 2/26/42 to 3/7/42 Salary: \$750.00 per week.

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment.

Employer: Universal Pictures. Title of job: Screenwriter.

Address: Universal City, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: collaborating on original story and screenplay BOY WONDER.

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. Name of supervisor: Bruce Manning.

From: 8/10/41 to 2/2/42 Salary: \$750.00 per week. (Plus my half of \$15,000.00 paid for the story.)

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment.

Employer: RKO Radio Pictures Inc. Title of job: Screenwriter.

Address: 780 N. Gower, Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: revising screenplay TOM, DICK AND HARRY.

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. Name of supervisor: Robert Sisk.

(Directed by Garrett Heiner)
From: 12/3/40 to 5/24/41 Salary: \$350.00 per week.

Reasons for leaving: production of picture completed.

Employer: Columbia Pictures Corp. Title of job: Screenwriter.

Address: 1438 N. Gower, Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: revising screenplay THE PAGE BEHIND THE MASK.

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. Name of supervisor: Irving Briskin.

From: 10/7/40 to 10/16/40 Salary: \$350.00 per week.

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment.

Employer: Republic Productions. Title of job: Screenwriter.

Address: 24084 Ransom Ave. North Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: collaborating on treatment and screenplay

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SEC. 21. CHRONOLOGICAL HISTORY (CONT'D -2-)

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. **Name of supervisor:** ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~ **From:** 7/22/40 to 9/28/40 **Salary:** \$300.00 per week.

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment.

Employer: RKO Radio Pictures Inc. **Title of job:** Screenwriter.

Address: 780 N. Gower, Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: writing screenplay **TOM, DIK AND HARRY.**

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. **Name of supervisor:** Robert Sick,

From: 3/25/40 to 7/20/40 **Salary:** \$250.00 per week.

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment, production postponed.

Employer: Twentieth Century Fox Films. **Title of job:** Screenwriter.

Address: West Los Angeles, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: revising screenplay.

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. **Name of supervisor:** Sol Wurtzel.

From: 2/3/40 to 2/22/40 **Salary:** \$250.00 per week.

Reasons for leaving: producer preferred a different approach.

Employer: Monogram Pictures Corp. **Title of Job:** Screenwriter.

Address: 4376 Sunset Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: writing adaptation and screenplay
RIP VAN WINKLE.

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. **Name of supervisor:** Scott Dunlap

From: 9/29/39 to 11/28/39 **Salary:** \$200.00 per week.

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment.

Employer: RKO Radio Pictures Inc. **Title of job:** Screenwriter.

Address: 780 N. Gower, Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: writing of original story **TOM, DIK AND HARRY.**

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. **Name of supervisor:** Fandre Bernth.

From: 7/6/39 to 8/23/39 **Salary:** \$150.00 a week.

Reasons for leaving: story completed.

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SEC. 21. CHRONOLOGICAL HISTORY (CONT'D -3-)

Employer: Universal Pictures , **Title of job:** Screenwriter.

Address: Universal City, Calif. U.S.A.

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Your duties and specialty: writing original screenplay THUNDER,
(released as MEN OF THE TIMBERLAND)

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. **Name of supervisor:** Sam Pines.

From: 3/3/39 to 4/15/39 **Salary:** \$150.00 per week.

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment.

Employer: Republic Productions. **Title of job:** Screenwriter.

Address: 4024 Radford Ave., North Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: writing of original story.

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. **Name of supervisor:** Herman Sahlem.

From: 12/15/38 to 1/4/39 **Salary:** \$350.00 for assignment.

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment.

Employer: Nat Levine.

Title of job: Screenwriter.

Address: 9336 W. Washington Blvd., Culver City, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: collaborating on various treatments.

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. **Name of supervisor:** Nat Levine.

From: 10/22/38 to 11/19/38 **Salary:** \$150.00 per week.
(except for brief lay-off)

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment.

Employer: Columbia Pictures Corp. **Title of job:** Screenwriter.

Address: 1438 N. Gower, Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: writing Screenplay NO TIME TO MARRY, treatment of THE LAW, original story of THE LITTLE ADVENTURERS; and various others.

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. **Name of supervisor:** Nat Perrin

From: 8/3/37 to 10/17/38 **Salary:** \$150.00 per week.
(except for brief lay-offs (10/18/37 to 10/17/38)
and two loan-out assignments \$100.00 per week.
listed separately below) (8/3/37 to 10/17/37)

Reasons for leaving: completed contract; option not lifted.

Employer: REO Radio Pictures Inc. **Title of job:** Screenwriter.

Address: 720 Gower (N.), Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

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SEC. 21. CHRONOLOGICAL HISTORY (CONT'D -4-)

Your duties and specialty: writing screenplay BEAUTY FOR THE BOON
Kind of business: Motion Pictures. Name of supervisor: S.P. Fitzgerald.

From: 7/5/38 to 8/27/38 Salary: \$150.00 per week.
(on loan-out from Columbia Pictures)

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment and returned to Columbia.

Employer: Samuel Goldwyn Inc. Title of job: Screenwriter.

Address: 1041 N. Formosa, Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: writing treatment.

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. Name of supervisor: Carson Krimley

From: 1/3/38 to 2/12/38 Salary: \$150.00 per week.
(on loan-out from Columbia Pictures)

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment and returned to Columbia.

My history of employment does not extend back ten years. I received my college degree in June of 1936 and obtained my first employment in August of 1937, at Columbia Pictures. During the intervening period I resided at 2358 Sunset Plaza Drive and 8505 W. 3rd Street, both in Los Angeles, and spent my time writing original stories and trying to get a job. My income at that time was derived from my father's life insurance. As the above work history would indicate, I have worked very steadily since August of 1937, though there have been periods between pictures ranging from one week to two and a half months.

These periods were generally spent writing original stories. In addition to those already indicated above, I collaborated on the story THAT WAS NO LADY, which was sold to M.G.M in June of 1941 for \$12,500.00.

SEC. 22. RESIDENCES FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS (CONT'D)

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1500 N. Gower St., Los Angeles, Calif., USA From: Jan '33 to Jan '34
618 N. Cummings St., Los Angeles, Cal. USA From: May '33 to Jan '34
International House, Berkeley, Calif., USA From: Jan '33 to May '33
38 Panoramic Way, Berkeley, Calif., USA From: Dec '34 to Jan '35
2636 Channing Way, Berkeley, Calif., USA From: Aug '34 to Dec '34
618 Cummings St., Los Angeles, Cal. USA From: 1921 to Aug '34

SEC. 24. CLUBS SOCIETIES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS (CONT'D)

United Citizens Victory Committee (now, I believe, defunct)

Hollywood Democratic Committee, 1515 Cross Roads of the World
Hollywood, Calif. USA

National Maritime Union, 346 W. 17th St., New York City, N.Y., USA

2741 24th, Beverly Hills Lodge, 700 S. La Brea Ave, Los Angeles, Cal. USA

Los Angeles Civilian Defense (Air Raid Warden), Outpost Dr., Los Angeles
Calif., USA

Committee for Care of Children in Wartime, 314 S. Muirfield,
Los Angeles, Calif., USA

In addition there are a great many organizations to which I belonged while still at school, such as the Boy Scouts of America, the Roosevelt High School World Friendship Club, the U.S.C. Chapter of Pi Epsilon Theta, and the U.C. Students' Rights Association. More recently I've contributed my name and financial support to various organizations concerned with civil liberties, such as the Committee to Abolish the Poll Tax, and to various groups aiding the victims of fascism, such as the Rescue Ship Mission, the Exiled Writers' Committee, and the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee.

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SEC. 21. CHRONOLOGICAL HISTORY (CONT'D -4-)

Your duties and specialty: writing screen play BEAUTY FOR THE ASKING. D
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Kind of business: Motion Pictures. Name of supervisor: B.P. Fineman.

From: 7/5/38 to 8/27/38 Salary: \$150.00 per week.
(on loan-out from Columbia Pictures)

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment and returned to Columbia.

Employer: Samuel Goldwyn Inc. Title of job: Screenwriter.

Address: 1041 N. Formosa, Hollywood, Calif. U.S.A.

Your duties and specialty: writing treatment.

Kind of business: Motion Pictures. Name of supervisor: Garson Kanin

From: 1/3/38 to 2/12/38 Salary: \$150.00 per week.
(on loan-out from Columbia Pictures)

Reasons for leaving: completed assignment and returned to Columbia.

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International House, Berkeley, Calif., USA From: Jan '35 to May '35
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In addition there are a great many organizations to which I belonged while still at school, such as the Boy Scouts of America, the Roosevelt High School World Friendship Club, the U.S.C. Chapter of Pi Epsilon Theta, and the U.C. Students' Rights Association. More recently I've contributed my name and financial support to various organizations concerned with civil liberties, such as the Committee to Abolish the Poll Tax, and to various groups aiding the victims of fascism, such as the Rescue Ship Mission, the Exiled Writers' Committee, and the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee.

Sec. 26. General qualifications (cont'd).

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- B. Have you any special knowledge or training with respect to:

Motor vehicles? No Airplanes? No Radio? No

Give particulars None to give, except perhaps that I am a
competent driver.

- C. List all sports and hobbies which interest you; indicate degree of proficiency in each.

Badminton--good

Jazz records--good

Cards--fair

Pool--fair

History--excellent

Classical music appreciation--good

Current Events--excellent

Swimming--good

Literature--excellent

Seamanship--fair

Bowling--fair

Tennis--fair

Psychology--excellent

Cinema arts and sciences--excellent

- D. Have you any qualifications, as a result of training or experience, which might fit you for a particular position?

As a professional writer of many years experience I am

confident I can handle any medium of communication, and

handle it well. I am familiar with research techniques and

generally can learn what I want to know. I like people

and work with them well.

SEC. 27. Person to be notified in case of emergency:

Name Sylvia Jarrico Relationship Wife

Address 727 Linda Flora Dr., Los Angeles, 24, Calif., U.S.A.

St. & No. City State Country
(or c/o Rose Kraus, 929 La Vuelta, Santa Paula, Calif., U.S.A.)

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Sec. 19. General qualifications (cont'd).

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B. Have you any special knowledge or training with respect to:

Motor vehicles? No Airplanes? No Radio? No

Give particulars None to give, except perhaps that I am a
competent driver.

C. List all sports and hobbies which interest you; indicate degree of proficiency in each.

Badminton--good Jazz records--good

Cards--fair Pool--fair

History--excellent Classical music appreciation--good

Current Events--excellent Swimming--good

Literature--excellent Seamanship--fair

Bowling--fair Tennis--fair

Psychology--excellent Cinema arts and sciences--excellent

D. Have you any qualifications, as a result of training or experience, which might fit you for a particular position?

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SEC. 26. You are informed that the correctness of all statements made herein will be investigated, and you are invited to make any changes (or additions) in your statements that you may think advisable.

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- A. Are there any unfavorable incidents in your life not mentioned above which may be discovered in subsequent investigation, whether you were directly involved or not, which might require explanation? If so, describe. If not, answer, "No."

No.

- B. I CERTIFY that the foregoing answers are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and I agree that any misstatement or omission as to a material fact will constitute grounds for immediate disqualification.

Signed at Los Angeles, Calif. -
City and State

Date March 23, 1944



Israel Paul Jassier
Signature of applicant

APPLICANT WILL NOT WRITE BELOW

Comments of interviewer:

Due to this man's ability which is well known and the urgency of the need for his services, I request that the interview be waived.

Signature of interviewer

Investigation requested by

Originating official

Date

March 31-1943

*(Should be 1944
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